

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

The Criminal Justice Act Committee of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York is soliciting applications from highly qualified and experienced criminal defense attorneys for membership on the CJA Panel for the District.

Applications will be accepted from attorneys who are available for case assignments in either the Brooklyn or Central Islip Courthouses, or both. The Committee is also seeking applications from practitioners whose experience is uniquely suited to handling petitions for post conviction relief.

Assignments to the Panel will be for a three-year period, beginning on or about January 1, 2016.

Applications are available at the Clerk's Offices at the Courthouses in Brooklyn and Central Islip. The form of the application has also been posted at the Court's website: [www.nyed.uscourts.gov](http://www.nyed.uscourts.gov).

Your application must be received by October 10, 2016. Please mail the completed form to:

Douglas C. Palmer, Clerk of Court  
United States District Court, Eastern District of New York  
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Brooklyn, NY 11201